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# STATE OF DELAWARE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS

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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Thursday, April 19, 2018 at 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: Division of Professional Regulation

861 Silver Lake Blvd., Conference Room A Cannon Bldg., Dover, Delaware 19904

MINUTES FOR APPROVAL: May 31, 2018

#### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Charles Adams, Jr., Professional Member, Chair Kelly Katz, Professional Member, Vice-Chair James Bielicki, Jr., Professional Member Franco R. Bellafante, Professional Member Carla Cassell-Carter, Public Member, Secretary

## **MEMBERS ABSENT**

Lakiyah Chambers, Public Member

#### **DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT**

Kevin Maloney, Deputy Attorney General Jennifer Witte, Administrative Specialist II

#### OTHERS PRESENT

There were no others present.

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Mr. Adams called the meeting to order at 8:31 a.m.

#### **REVIEW OF MINUTES**

A motion was made by Mr. Bielicki, seconded by Ms. Cassell-Carter, to approve the minutes from the March 15, 2018 meeting as presented. The motion was unanimously carried.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

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## Discussion on Trespassing Laws in Delaware

The Board continued its discussion on the need of a trespassing law for surveyors in Delaware.

The Board discussed changes to the language pertaining to damage of property and the addition of a synopsis to clarify that language.

For the May meeting, Mr. Maloney will draft statutory language with revisions for the Board to review and vote on and then be forwarded to the Division Director.

#### Sign Final Order

The Board signed the final order for Charles Stickles, which resulted from the Recommendation of the Chief Hearing Officer the Board reviewed at the March meeting.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### Review of the Application for Registration as a Surveyor Intern

The Board reviewed the current application for registration as a surveyor intern for amendments.

## Ratify Certificate of Authorization Applications

A motion was made by Mr. Bielicki, seconded by Mr. Katz, to approve the ratified Certificate of Authorization application of Surveying And Mapping, LLC. with Melvin Spencer as the Professional in Charge. The motion was unanimously carried.

## Review and Approval of Professional Development Hours

After review, a motion was made by Mr. Katz, seconded by Mr. Bielicki, to approve the requests for professional development hours as follows:

#### NBI. Inc.

Practical Guide to Zoning and Land Use Law, 6 hours

#### **DNREC**

DE Flood Planning Tool Training, 2.5 hours

The motion was unanimously carried.

#### Ratify Professional Land Surveyor Licenses

After review, a motion was made by Mr. Bellafante, seconded by Mr. Bielicki, to approve Douglas Bogdan for licensure contingent on receiving a passing score of the Delaware Drainage and Jurisprudence exam. The motion was unanimously carried.

## **CORRESPONDENCE**

The Board received the NCEES 2017 Annual Report, the 2017 edition of Squared and the 96<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting Minutes and Reference Material.

#### OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD

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With two Board members attending the NCEES Annual Meeting in Portland, Maine, the Board discussed rescheduling the May 17, 2018 meeting to a later date in the month to ensure that there will be a quorum. Ms. Witte will verify conference room availability and reschedule the meeting.

# **PUBLIC COMMENT**

There was no public comment.

## **NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be May 17, 2018 at 8:30 a.m. in Conference Room A.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, a motion was made by Ms. Cassell-Carter, seconded by Mr. Bielicki, to adjourn the meeting at 9:40 a.m. The motion was unanimously carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Q. Witte

Administrative Specialist II